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TO: Minerals File

FROM: Tom Munson, Reclamation Specialist

RE: Site Inspection, Dave Penney, Little Spot Mine, S/027/024, Millard County, Utah

Date of Inspection: May 7 and May 8, 2001
Time of Inspection: 4:30 – 5:30 p.m. and 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Conditions: Sunny
Participants: Tom Munson, DOGM

Purpose of Inspection: To inspect site while in the area.

Mr. Penney did not arrive at the inspection as was pre-arranged. Equipment at the site included: a trackhoe, a bulldozer, and a drill rig and about eight cardboard boxes that they are filling with obsidian. I GPS'd the entire disturbed area under file 050722A. Photos were also taken of the site.

I met Mr. Penney onsite the next day. At that time, the amount of disturbance was unknown. The operator was informed of his liability and told to be aware of the five acre rule.

Note: After arriving back at the office, the GPS file was downloaded and is attached to this memo. The file shows 5.72 acres, but was conservative in estimate. Larry Garahana, of the Fillmore Field Office, BLM office, had also GPS'd this site at 2.5 acres which makes this an unusual and difficult situation. I informed Mr. Penney by phone after my inspection in May, that he was close to the five acre limit. I also informed Larry Garahana of the discrepancy between our surveys.

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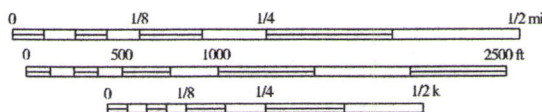
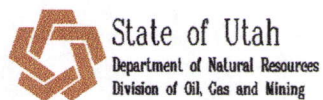
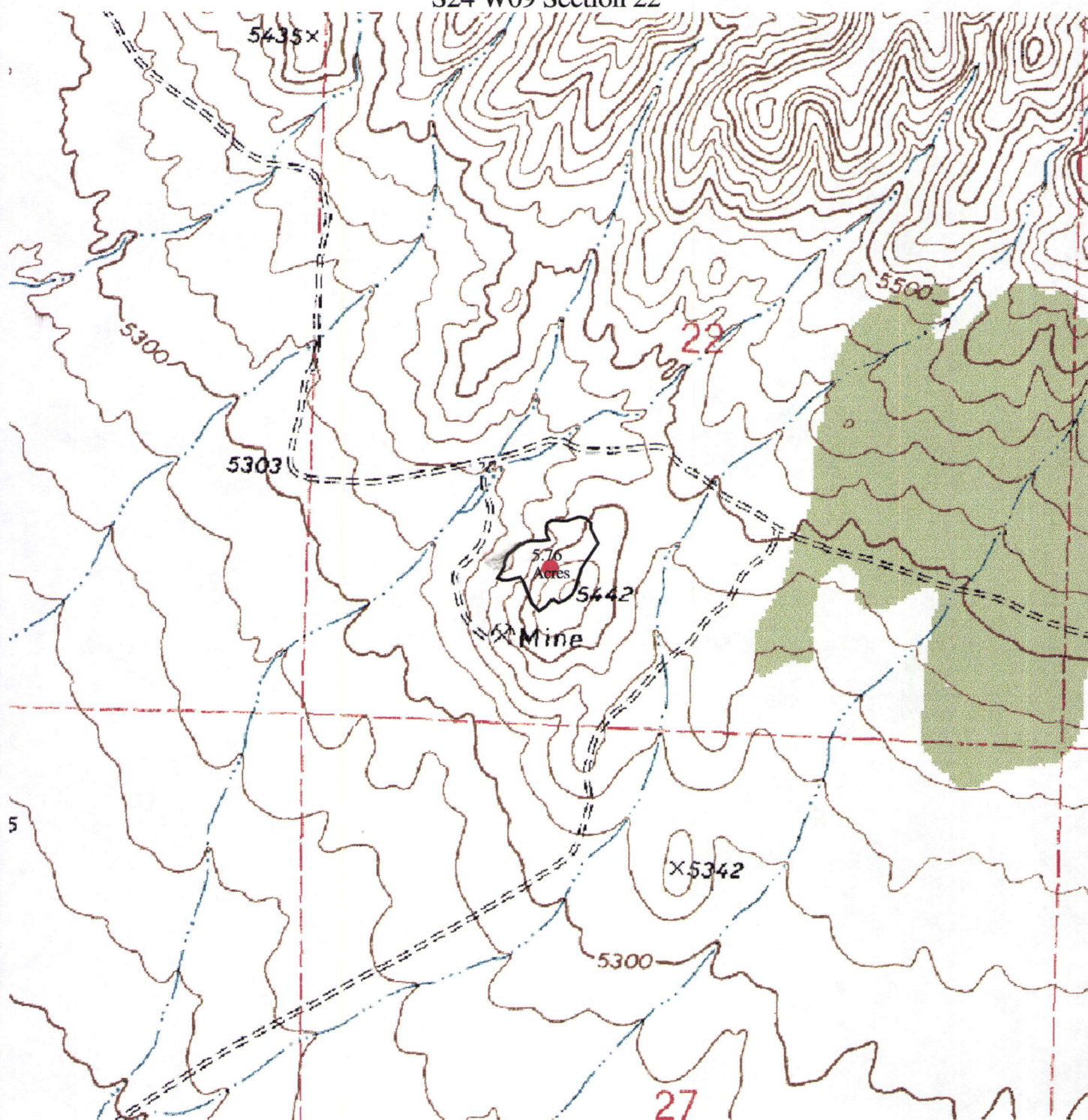
Attachment: GPS map, photos

cc: David Penney, Operator

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LITTLE SPOT - S270024

Quad: Antelope Spring – UTM: 338736.34375,4285623.5
S24 W09 Section 22



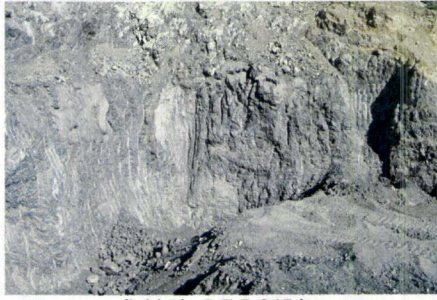
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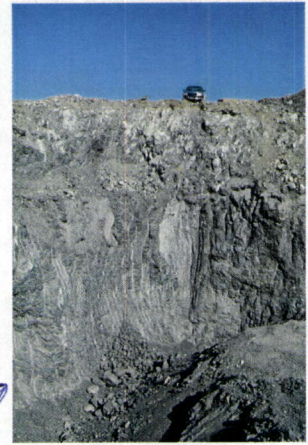


field trip 5-7,5-844.jpg

new pit
high wall



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field trip 5-7,5-848.jpg

TOPSOIL STORAGE PILE
FOR NEW PIT



field trip 5-7,5-849.jpg

AREA WHERE
ASH IS SPREAD OUT
to retrieve obsidian
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field trip 5-7,5-851.jpg



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S/027/024 LITTLE SPOT
DAVID PENNEY